

October 16, 2016  
29th Sunday in Ordinary  
Time

## All Saints Catholic Church

**Mission Statement:** *"Rejoicing with gratitude in God's blessings, we invite and welcome all to share in the fullness of the Catholic faith. We live our baptismal call through worship, teaching, and serving one another."*

### Parish Contact Information

Rev. Raymond J.  
Higgins  
Pastor

### Church Office

Phone: 515-523-1943

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Closed: Monday & Friday

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Dear Parishioners,

This weekend we say goodbye to Deacon Fred. We have celebrated his recent anniversary and now send him on his way to the next chapter in his faith journey. He has been a wonderful asset to our parishes through the years and I know that God has many more opportunities for him in the days ahead. Deacon has provided us with his mailing address if you'd like to stay in touch. It is: Deacon Fred Cornwell, 150 NE 41st St., #109, Ankeny, IA 50021.

As you may know, Deacon Fred has been volunteering his time as our parish business manager, making sure that we have everything in order regarding best office practices, including the implementation of the diocesan prescribed system of checks and balances with regard to church records. With his departure, many of these duties have been assigned to Brenda Wedemeyer, parish secretary (and prior to that, our DRE). She will continue with her duties as bulletin editor, manager of electronic communications, liturgical scheduler, and general secretarial work. Deacon Fred has done a wonderful job putting things in proper order which will allow for a smooth transition of these tasks to Brenda.

Rita Rilea, who has faithfully worked in the office for close to ten years, will continue as our bookkeeper and I'm grateful for her hard work and dedication keeping our books in order. She takes care of paying our bills, hall rental arrangements, scheduling Mass intentions, financial reporting, and handling of the general finances, all for both parishes. I'm very appreciative and hope that you will let her know you appreciate her as well.

In other news, we are heading into a very busy time of year. Coming up October 30th is the annual chicken dinner at All Saints, the pancake breakfast Nov. 6th at St. John's, extra Masses for All Saints' and All Souls' days, not to mention Thanksgiving, Advent, and then Christmas. Be sure to watch for the details in our bulletins each week.

One more thing I want to mention that Deacon Fred has helped us with was to establish a new Pastoral Council. Twelve people have volunteered to take on the responsibility of upholding our parishes in prayer as well as guiding us into the future through the best means they discern. You should notice that they have come to a consensus on a mission statement, especially composed for both of our parishes. It is: *"Rejoicing with gratitude in God's blessings, we invite and welcome all to share in the fullness of the Catholic faith. We live our baptismal call through worship, teaching, and serving one another."* You will see it published each week at the top of this page.

Have a great week,

Fr. Ray

**Special Rosary** Our Knights of Columbus, in conjunction with "40 Days For Life", will lead the Rosary prior to Mass on Sunday October 23rd. Please join the Knights in this special time of prayer to end abortion.

*40 Days for Life is the largest internationally coordinated pro-life mobilization in history, helping people in local communities end the injustice of abortion through prayer & fasting, community outreach, and peaceful vigils outside an abortion facility.*



# Parish News & Events

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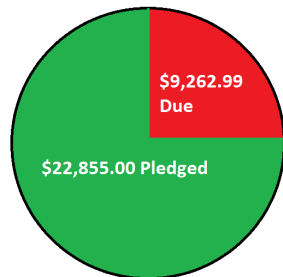
<b>Sunday</b> 10/16 9am Choir Practice 10am Mass For the People  <b>Birthday:</b> Matthew Newton	<b>Monday</b> 10/17 <i>Church office is closed on Mondays</i>  <b>Birthdays:</b> Ryan Truitt, Maria Doud	<b>Tuesday</b> 10/18 6-7am TMIY Men's Group 9-10:15am Women's Group 6pm Mass For Tom Billheimer 6pm 6:30pm Adult Rel. Ed.  <b>Anniversary:</b> Dennis & Joyce VanPelt 1969	<b>Wednesday</b> 10/19 6:30-7:30pm Faith Formation  <b>Birthday:</b> Kristopher Shoop <b>Anniversary:</b> Rick & Rita Rilea 1968	<b>Thursday</b> 10/20 9am Mass at the Care Center For Raymond & Mary Jane McKee  <b>Birthday:</b> Carson Tigges <b>Anniversary:</b> Judd & Magen Schaffer 2001	<b>Friday</b> 10/21 8:30am Mass For Karen Donnelly Krogh  <i>Church office is closed on Fridays</i>  <b>Birthday:</b> Declan Chladek	<b>Saturday</b> 10/22 3:30pm Confessions 4:30pm Mass For Donato Cianciaruso  <b>Birthdays:</b> Paul Pieper, Neal Crawford
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## Weekly Prayer Requests

**Please pray for:** *Mary Keast, Keenan Volz, Ruby Waltz*  
To request prayer for someone for publication in the bulletin, please contact the church office at 515-523-1943 or via email at: [stjohnallsaints@gmail.com](mailto:stjohnallsaints@gmail.com).  
*Be sure to include the person's name, your contact information, and that you have permission to submit the name.*

## E-Bulletins & Updates

Weekly bulletins are published online through both our websites and via your personal email address - *if* you have provided us with your current email contact information. The bulletin comes to your personal address at 9am each Saturday. It is also available on our website by Friday afternoon. Please contact the church office to subscribe.  
**Please go to:** [www.stuartallsaints.org](http://www.stuartallsaints.org) to view your bulletins.



**Financial Report**  
for the week of Oct. 9  
**Tithes** \$3,359.00  
**Children:** \$30.26  
**Building Fund:** \$180.00  
**Special Collections** \$0.00  
**2016 ADA**  
 Balance Due \$9,262.99

## All Saints Chicken Dinner

The Knights of Columbus will be hosting their annual Staley's Chicken Dinner on Sunday October 30th from 10:30am-1pm in the parish hall. Adults \$9, Children ages 6-12 \$4, Children 5 and under FREE. Menu includes mashed potatoes & gravy, vegetable, salad, dinner roll, drink, and homemade pie.

<b>SATURDAY</b> 10-22  <b>Liturgical Ministers</b>	<b>Rosary Leader</b> Florence Cook  <b>Ushers</b> Matt & Jen Dickson	<b>Cross Bearer</b> Denny Donnelly  <b>Servers</b> Zoey Dickson Riley Doud	<b>Lector</b> Roni Wilson  <b>Commentator</b> Carol Smith	<b>Greeters &amp; Gifts</b> Matt & Jen Dickson Family  <b>Extraordinary Ministers of the</b>	<b>Eucharist</b> Jeanine Holland, Donna Donnelly, Jodi Bassett	<b>REMEMBER: If you cannot serve, please be kind and find your own replacement.</b>
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<b>SUNDAY</b> 10-23  <b>Liturgical Ministers</b>	<b>Ushers</b> John Gulbranson, Patrick Gulbranson	<b>Cross Bearer</b> Patrick Tiernan  <b>Servers</b> Jack Doyle, Taylor Ommen,	<b>Jenna Doyle</b>  <b>Lector</b> Wayne Nosbisch <b>Commentator</b> Donna Olson	<b>Greeters &amp; Gifts</b> Tom & Amy Doud  <b>Extraordinary Ministers of the</b>	<b>Eucharist</b> Harriet Gulbranson, Amy Doud, Linda Lee O'Neel	
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**SACRAMENT of BAPTISM:** Preparation class for parents and godparents is required. Please contact the church office to make arrangements.

**SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE:** Preparation for marriage must begin at **least six months** before the anticipated date of the wedding. Please contact the church office to set up an appointment to speak with Father.